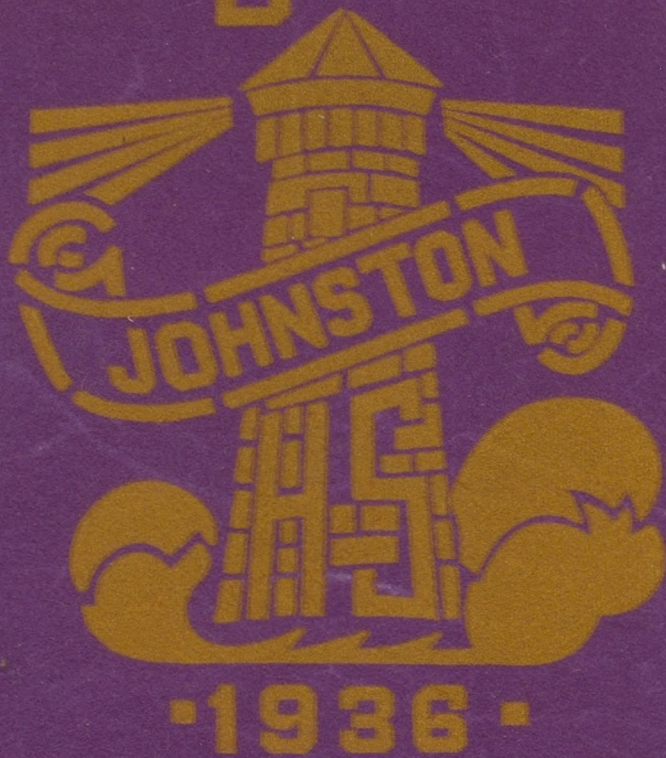


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For the first time in several years, the students of Johnston High School have published an annual. In these pages, they have endeavored to present to you, in brief, the school activities of 1935-1936.



DEDICATION

We, the students
of Johnston High School wish to
dedicate this 1936 Beaconite to
Superintendent Peterson, in ap-
preciation of his efforts in
furthering the best interests of
Johnston High School.





"ADMINISTRATION"



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Front row: Mr. Schleih, Mr. Coyle and Mr. Bilz.



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Iowa State College
B. S. degree





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ers' College.



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dergarten and First
Grade. Drake Uni-
versity.





"SENIORS"



GRANT VOORHEES--
Class President.
"Learning is indeed un-
profitable."



Junior Play; Track 3, 4.

BILL WALLNER--
Vice-President.
"I remember a number of
things, but none dis-
tinctly."



Football, 1, 2, 3, 4;
Baseball, 1, 2. High
School Play; Junior Play.

LUELLA ERICKSON--
Secretary-Treasurer.
"A merry heart goes all
the day."



High School Play; Glee
Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Jour-
nalism, 2.

JUNE NEWTON--Candidate
for Drake Relays Prin-
cess.
"The mildest manners
and the gentlest heart."



Glee Club, 1; Journalism,
1, 2, 3, 4.





VERNON AVAUX--

"I never trouble
trouble till trou-
ble troubles me."



ELAINE BILZ--High
School Play; Glee
Club, 2, 3, 4.

"I have no other
but a woman's rea-
son, I think it's
so because I think
it's so."

WINIFRED BRACKETT--

Basketball 1, 2, 3.

"She is gentle, she
is shy, but there's
mischief in her
eye."



DEVANE CHANEY--

"Silence is gold-
en."

HAROLD COYLE--Foot-
ball, 1, 2, 3, 4.

"Because a man
doesn't talk is no
sign he hasn't
something to say."



GERALD DAVIS--Glee
Club, 1, 2.

"Knowledge with
common sense is
wisdom."

EDITH EMMONS--Glee
Club 2; Journalism
1, 2; Declamatory 1

"A slender maid
with light blue
eyes, and very
pretty without dis-
guise."



JEAN POST--Track
3; Journalism 2, 3,
4; High School
Play. "'Tis not
quantity but qual-
ity that counts."

MAXINE FORRET--

Journalism, 3, 4.

"True to her work,
her word, and her
friends."



EDNA FORRET--Jour-
nalism, 3, 4.

"Never too young to
be wise nor to old
to be careful."





RALPH FRAIZER--Foot-
ball 1,2,3,4; Bas-
ketball 1,2,3,4;
Baseball 1,2. "An
affable and cour-
teous gentleman."



ROBERT GOODMAN--
"Only weeds grow
tall."

BILL GRAHAM--Bas-
ketball 1,2; Base-
ball 1, 2; Football
1, 2, 3, 4(c).
"If you can't take
life easily, take
it as easily as you
can."



BILL HARVEY--
Football 1,2,3,4;
Glee Club 1.
"Laugh and the
world laughs with
you."

LOIS HERROLD--
Journalism 3.
"If I don't know
why I know what I
think I know then
I want to know."



BILL IVES--Football
1,2,3,4; Declama-
tory 1,2,3,4; Jun-
ior Play; Track 3,
4; Basketball 1,2,
3,4. "Nothing was
ever achieved with-
out enthusiasm."

WILMA KALTENHEUSER-
"If you would be
loved, love and be
lovable."



MARY LOUISE KEISTER
Glee Club 1,2,3,4;
Declamatory 1; Jour-
nalism 3; Junior
Play.
"A true friend is
forever a friend."

KENNETH KEYTE--Glee
Club 1,2,3,4. De-
clamatory 1,2,3,4.
Junior Play, Journ-
alism 1. Football 1
"Common sense is
instinct and enough
of it is genius."



ROBERT KEYTE--Glee
Club 1,2,3,4; Bas-
ketball 1,2,3,4;
Football 1,2,3,4;
Track 3,4; Junior
Play. "He scatters
enjoyment who can
enjoy much."





MARGARET KINSEY--
Basketball 1,2,3,4;
"Health and cheer-
fulness mutually
beget each other."



DOROTHY MCDIVITT--
Junior Play.
"Good humor is al-
ways a success."

CARROLL SURBER--
Orchestra 1,2,3,4;
Glee Club 1, 2;
"Life is not so
short, but there is
always time for
courtesy."



ELI ORLICH--Bas-
ketball 1. "Youth
comes but once in a
lifetime."

OLIVE PAGE--Glee
Club 1. "Here's
health to the lass
with the merry
black eyes."



ROBERT SHEPPARD--
"Laughter is a most
healthful exertion."

GLADYS SELLNER--
"I came, I saw, I
conquered."



HAZEL WOODS--
"'Tis only noble to
be good."

MARJORIE STEEN--
Glee Club, 1,2,3,4;
Orchestra, 1,2,3,4;
Journalism 4; De-
clamatory 2. "Music
is the universal
language of man-
kind."

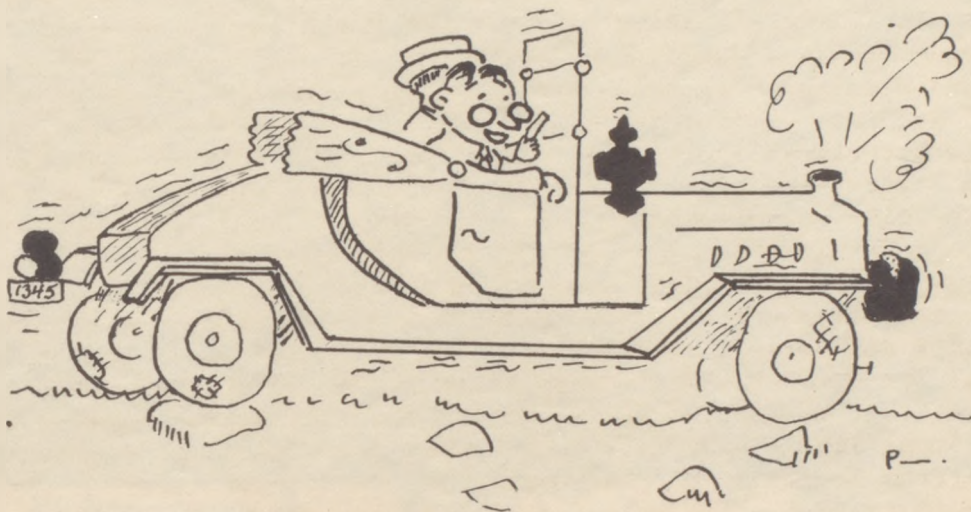


JEAN WILLIAMS--
Glee Club 1. "With
countenance demure
and modest."



HORROR-SCOPE

NAME-----	NICKNAME-----	AMBITION-----	WEAKNESS-----
Edith Emmons---	"Toothpick"---	To get in before midnight--	Studying
Bill Ives---	"Jack Armstrong"---	To win the fair sex-----	Women
Mary L. Keister---	"Shirley T."---	To win Kenneth Keyte-----	Library
Vernon Avaux---	"Junior"-----	To own a hot dog stand-----	Sleep
Hazel Woods-----	"Hazie"-----	To become an evangelist--	Engagements
Bob Goodman-----	"Goodie"-----	To own a farm-----	Mud holes
Lois Herrold---	"Shortie"-----	To succeed Mrs. Scott-----	Physics
Bob Keyte-----	"Bobbie"-----	To settle down-----	Rough roads
Jean Post-----	"Jeanie"-----	To succeed Warden E. Lawes--	Finances
Devene Chaney---	"Beansie"-----	To own a ranch-----	Themes
Margaret Kinsey---	"Peggy"-----	To be a basketball coach--	Leap year
Elaine Bilz----	"Bilzie"-----	To get a millionaire-----	Sarcasm
Gladys Sellner---	"Snooks"-----	To find her a man-----	Chewing gum
Bill Harvey-----	"Fat"-----	To own a chicken shack-----	Eating
June Newton-----	"June Bug"---	To win a screen test-----	Looks
Marjorie Steen---	"Mudge"-----	To smear the trombone-----	Pictures
Winifred Brackett---	"Winnie"---	To be a 10¢ store heiress----	Typing
Bob Sheppard-----	"Shep"-----	To be Vernon A.'s-----	Talking
Kenneth Keyte----	"Skeets"-----	To help Einstein-----	"Jerry"
Luella Erickson---	"Toots"-----	To sing in a choir-----	Marriage
Carroll Surber----	"Soup"-----	To own a barber shop-----	Glee club
Eli Orlich-----	"Dago"-----	To be an office boy-----	Literature
Harold Coyle-----	"Bowl"-----	To be a football coach-----	Wheaties
Dorothy McDivitt---	"Pee-Wee"---	To raise a family-----	Trucks
Jean Williams---	"Brown Eyes"---	To have a home of her own---	Winters
Gerald Davis-----	"Stinky"-----	To live down his nickname---	Crooning
Grant Voorhees---	"Oscar"-----	To succeed Mr. Peterson----	Conceit
Olive Page-----	"Olie"-----	To be a stewardess-----	Dreaming
Bill Graham-----	"Billie"-----	To beat Rolland to marriage--	Olives
Bill Wallner-----	"Willie"-----	To run a beer parlor-----	Hang-overs
Edna Forret-----	"Eddie"-----	To teach shorthand-----	Lessons
Wilma Kaltenheuser---	"Red"-----	To graduate-----	Football players
Ralph Fraizer----	"Ralphie"---	To be mayor of Johnston----	Football
Maxine Forret-----	"Max"-----	To win Don Perdue-----	Mimeograph?



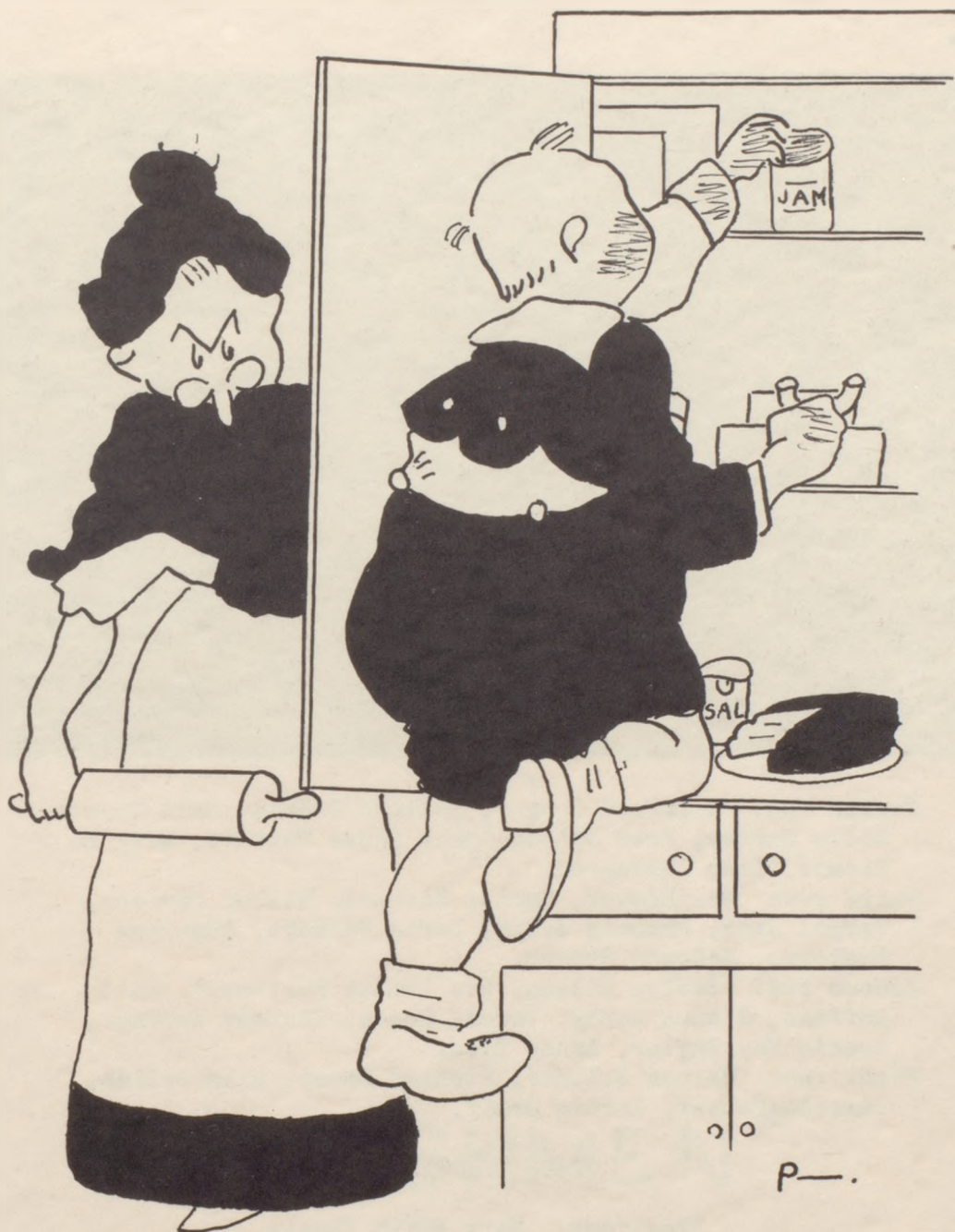
"JUNIORS "



Back row: Jack Rust, Doris Michael, Geneva McDivitt, Dick Page, Merle Boatwright, Bige Harvey, Orvis Cruikshank, LeRoy Wood, Mary Elizabeth Airheardt.
 Third row: Marjorie Weiser, Don Hawkins, Carlon Freeman, Don Otto, Don Perdue, Viola Rastovac, Lillian Johnson.
 Second row: Miss Hankammer, Alice Byers, Margaret Zarley, Joanne Schleih, Irene Fisher, Ruth Horner, Erma May, Pauline Kaltenheuser, Marvel Perdue.
 Front row: Bob Evans, Mike Vignovich, William Garlock, Leonard Willcox, Bob Read.
 Absent: Durwood Swanson and Wilma Kinsey.

CLASS OFFICERS

President: Bob Read
 Vice President: Jack Rust
 Secretary: Irene Fisher



"SOPHOMORES"



Fourth row: Clifford Conner, Rolland Graham, Earl Sayers,
Billy Murray, Fred Hansen, Mary Agnes Watters, Mary E.
Thomas, Ione Sandegren.

Third row: Mr. Hoover, Lester Michael, Wilbur Davison,
Virgil Bice, Francis Byers, Doris Seibert, Angelyna
Rastovac, MaDonna Stoner.

Second row: Evelyn Wilcox, Eva Louise Kurtzweil, Gail
Hoffman, Glenna Ashby, Dorcas Goode, Maureen Kuefner,
Jessie May Taylor, Agnes Bice.

Front row: Walter Sellner, Richard Dewey, Mike Orlich,
Jerrold Hauser, Martin Greif.

CLASS OFFICERS

President: Mary Edith Thomas
Vice-President: Rolland Graham
Secretary: Angelyna Rastovac



"FRESHMEN"



Back row: Willie Reese, Paul Wood, William Brown, Guy Zarley, Evan Brown, Andrew Surber, Albert Elings, Wilma Blair, Marie Dunn.

Second row: Lawrence Leggins, Hugh Stirts, Lowell Steen, Lucille Freeman, Frances Kurtzweil, Geraldine Watters, Betty Wood, Agnes Hootman, Virginia Horner.

Front row: Miss Bronn, Dorothy Seibert, Della Argenta, Hazel Goodman, Mildred Orlich, Arlene Otto, Katherine La Mar, Ethel Woods, Dorothy Willcox.

Absent: Beulah Baker and Mildred Beck.

CLASS OFFICERS

President: Guy Zarley
 Vice-President: Arlene Otto
 Secretary: Hazel Goodman



"GRADES"

EIGHTH GRADE



Back row: Jesse McGovern, Junior Brackett, Louis Jobusch, Jim Thomas, Wendell Jeffrey, Leo Zibert, Richard Johnson.

Second row: Miss McPherson, Jack Read, Delbert Michael, Bob Martin, Dwight Stall, Steve Orlich, Stanley Wilfon, Clyde Hixson.

Front row: Virginia Such, Mary Vignovich, Jeannette Close, Jacqueline Tarlton, Mary Hootman, Corrinne Standers, Anna Cerar, Louise Jobusch.

Absent: Darlene Smith.

SEVENTH GRADE



Back row: James Fletcher, Donald Denman, Edward Bice, Ted Miller, Bob Kinsey, Dail Rife, Max Minick, Henry Garlock.

Third row: Jean Swanson, Elaine Heaney, Rilma Leeper, Bob Thomas, Orie Reed, Ivan Eckels, Rhonda Burns, Rilla Zarley.

Second row: Mrs. Ballou, Fern Bice, Loretta Covey, Helen Neidiffer, Eva Conner, Ruth Hunt, Marjorie Boyle, Mary Hockett.

Front row: Donald Byers, Donald Michael, Tommy Watters, Don Wallace, Fred Horner, Harold Sellner, Billy Hanawalt.

Absent: Richard Seibert.

SIXTH GRADE



Back row: Marion McGovern, Donald Sundell, Bill Byers, Barney Vignovich, Vinton Barker, Lloyd Dickey, William Greif, and Robert Otto.

Third row: Miss Sherman, Betty Stirts, Verla Curtis, Marianne Surber, Marvin Greif, George Blair, and Lee Gnader.

Second row: Alice Willcox, Shirley Schleih, Gloria Lancaster, Ruth Ellis, June Katzenberger, Dorothy Kurtzweil, and Dick Ashby.

Front row: Wayne Stall, Wayne Fosche, Virginia Standers, Marilyn Stotts, Marjorie Watters, Lois Hanawalt, and Jean Wigton.

Absent: Lucille Dunn, Violet Orlich and Pauline Olmstead.

FIFTH GRADE



Back row: Rose Katzenberger, Audrey Covey, Ruby Warden,
Norma Argenta, Junior Goodman, Bobby Bauman, William
Denman.

Third row: Ralph Lane, Charles Hockett, Vaughn Steen,
Barton Schlenker, Connie Cole, Katy Thomas, Vesta Newlin,
Marjorie Capps.

Second row: Miss Polish, Ruth Moore, Betty Coyle, Mildred
Rastovac, Patricia Clark, Lois Kuefner, Arlene Horner.

First row: Herman Jobusch, Lemuel Cole, Calvin Elings,
Nick Orlich, Philips Grahl.

Absent: Junior Olmstead.

FOURTH GRADE



Back row: Maxine Stall, Jane Byers, Darlene Sundell,
Jane Ann Hall, Arlene Oyres, Barbara Leach, Frank
Straight, Helen Bauman.

Second row: Miss Kuefner, Helen Jeanne Hunt, Betty
Hootman, Arlene Hopper, Charles Robinette, Billy Flet-
cher, Gilbert Burns, Cleo Swanson, Phillip Kinsey.

Front row: Donald Bassett, Howard Woods, Raymond Vigno-
vich, Charles Heaney, Robert Garlock, Bobby Grahl.

THIRD GRADE



Back row: Theodore Steen, Betty Otto, Dorothy Rastovac,
Dale McDowell, Billie Davison, Al Read, Robert Zarley,
Duane Robinette.

Second row: Miss Newland, Patricia Byers, Frances Fosche,
Patricia Leach, Rosemary Watters, Beverly Stemler,
Francine Gnader, Verta Marie Bloomer.

Front row: James Phipps, Owen Newlin, Wayne Sellner,
Loren Davison, Faye Katzenberger, George McDowell.

Absent: Billie Jean Winters.

SECOND GRADE



Back row: Barbara Jean Kuefner, Beverly Ann van Benthuy-
sen, Lola Robinette, Elva Cole, Beverly Rogers, Darlene
Hunt, Mary Ann Fletcher, Dorothy Brown, Barbara Horner,
James Madison.

Second row: Miss George, Ruth Greif, Betty Hopper, Char-
lotte Rice, Helen Orlich, Elwood Gall, Floyd Woods, Nick
Vignovich, Orval Kinsey.

Front row: Cecil Conner, Billy Neidiffer, David Argenta,
Dick Leonard, Robert Demman, Ralph Bassett, Wayne Kuef-
ner, Clyde Bice.

Absent: Frances Ann Longo and Theodore Booth.

FIRST GRADE



Back row: Gene Turpin, Clotel Guim, Francel Guim, Shirley Bice, Joan Watters, Patsy Oyres, Mary Jane Rastovao.
Front row: Miss Keeling, John Betz, Charles Harding,
Donald Zarley, Jimmie Hall, Roy Peterson, Joseph Dwight.
Absent: Margaret Goodman, Doris Jeffrey.

KINDERGARTEN



Back row: Elnora Cole, Wilma Brown, Darlene Phipps, Edna Mae Kinsey, Inza Cruikshank, Dreuzill Gall.

Second row: Miss Keeling, Juanita Phipps, Betty Stemler, Julia Straight, John Fletcher, Dick Rice, Ione Cruikshank.

Front row: Vernon Schuessler, Clayton Heyne, Billy Robinette, Donald Gnader, Wayne Dickey, John Boyle.

Absent: Lee Baker, Myrna Davison, Luella Elings, Carrol Michael, Zetta Warden.



"ACTIVITIES"

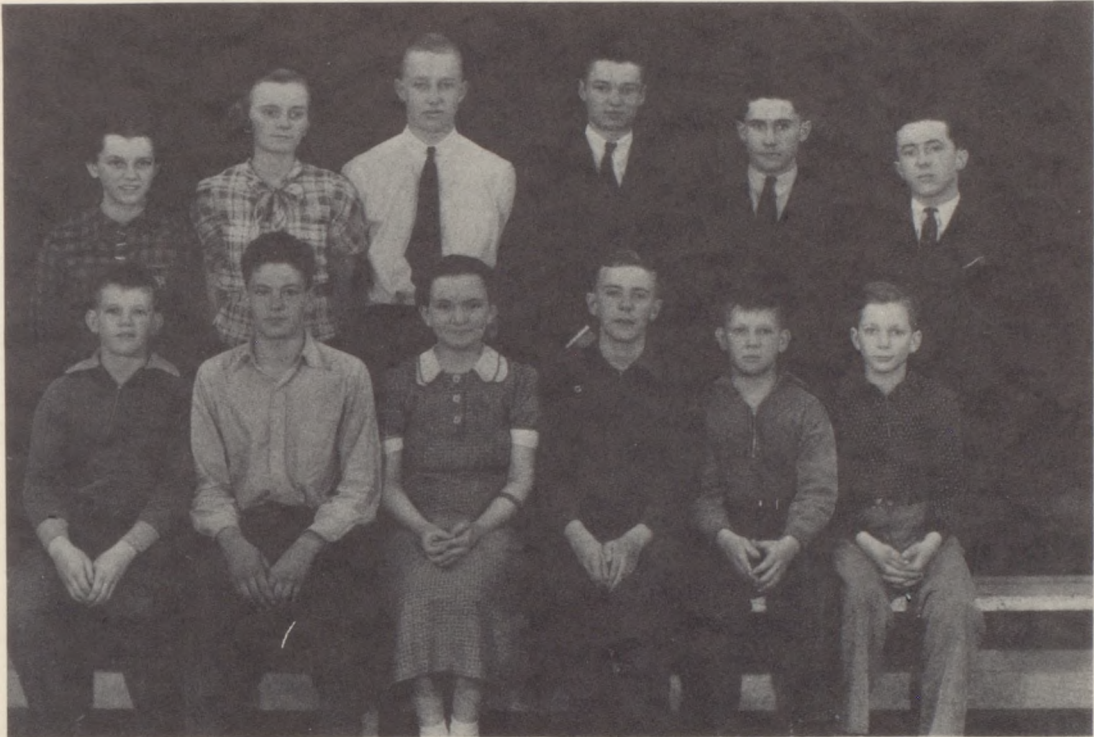
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 BOB READ-----Business Manager

STUDENT COUNCIL



Back row: Mary E. Thomas, Eva Louise Kurtzweil, Bob Read, Grant Voorhees, Bob Keyte, Kenneth Keyte.
Front row: Junior Thomas, Guy Zarley, Frances Kurtzweil, William Brown, Bobby Thomas, Wendell Jeffrey.

The activities of the Student Council the past school year have been many, varied, and very successful.

One of the first was Freshman Week, beginning September 20. During this week the Freshmen had little green hats which had to be worn at all times, and tipped to each Senior. At the close of this week the Freshmen were given a weiner roast by the Senior High.

The Student Council sponsored the selling of Football, Basketball, and Activity Passes.

They also took an active part in planning and supervising the Carnival which was held October 30. They personally sponsored two booths, the Corn Game and the Novelty Booth. The Carnival was very interesting and profitable.

The Executive Council with its advisors was in charge of appointing the staff for the Beaconite and they are very proud in having a part in editing it.

GLEE CLUB



Back row: Geraldine Watters, Margaret Zarley, Katherine LaMar, Glenna Ashby, Mary E. Thomas, Doris Seibert, MaDonna Stoner.

Middle row: Mary Louise Keister, Luella Erickson, Della Argenta, Marjorie Steen, Arlene Otto, Dorothy Seibert, Lucille Freeman, Frances Kurtzweil.

Front row: Mr. Roscoe Barnhart, Jessie May Taylor, Eva Louise Kurtzweil, Mary Agnes Watters, Joanne Schleih, Irene Fisher, Maureen Kuefner.

The Johnston High School Girl's Glee Club consists of 22 members. They have sung for various school activities throughout the year, making their first appearance in a "Major Bowe's Amateur Contest" put on by students of the school. They sang "Chinese Lullaby", "Green Cathedral" and "Night."

For their next appearance, at the Johnston Federated Church, they sang, "Green Cathedral."

At Christmas time, they gave a Christmas Cantata, "The Babe of Bethlehem."

Appearing at the elimination Declamatory Contest, they sang "In a Persian Market," and "On Wings of Song."

ORCHESTRA



Back row: Richard Ashby, Robert Martin, Marianne Surber, Marjorie Steen, Carroll Surber, Robert Keyte, Bill Ives, Francis Byers, Andrew Surber, Mary Edith Thomas.

Fifth row: Donald Byers, Marion Greif, James Fletcher, Jessie May Taylor, Donald Denman, Wendell Jeffrey, Wayne Stall, Marion McGovern, Lemuel Cole.

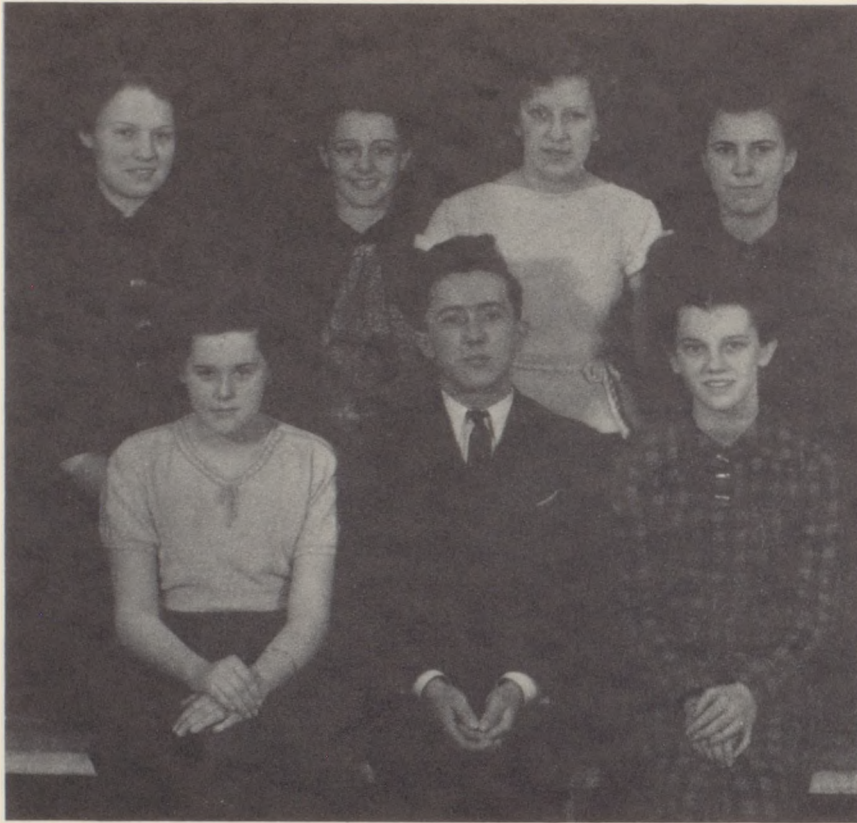
Fourth row: Billy Byers, Dwight Stall, Jerrold Hauser, Lowell Steen, Doris Seibert, Mary Vignovich, Frances Kurtzweil, MaDonna Stoner.

Third row: Dail Rife, Albert Elings, Vaughn Steen, Ruth Hunt, Jeanette Close, Connie Cole, Fern Bice, Calvin Elings, Paul Wood.

Second row: Helen Neideffer, William Brown, Mary Hockett, Ethel Wood, Dorothy Willcox, Maurine Kuefner, Jeanne Swanson, Jacqueline Tarleton, Mike Orlich, Bobby Thomas.

First row: Mary Louise Keister, Alice Byers, Corrine Standers, Mr. Roscoe Barnhart.

DECLAMATORY



First row: Miss Bronn, Lillian Johnson, Irene Fisher, Doris Seibert.

Second row: Glenna Ashby, Kenneth Keyte, Mary Edith Thomas.

The declamatory group for the year was not very large, but was large enough to furnish good competition for the winners. The people entering were: Oratorical--Doris Seibert, Kenneth Keyte, Francis Byers. Dramatic--Irene Fisher, Mary Edith Thomas, Jessie May Taylor, Bill Ives. Humorous--Lillian Johnson, Fred Hansen, and Glenna Ashby.

The people winning first and second place in the home contest in each division are: Oratorical--first, Kenneth Keyte, and second, Doris Seibert. Dramatic--first, Mary Edith Thomas, and second, Irene Fisher. Humorous--first, Glenna Ashby, and second, Lillian Johnson.

The winners of the first places spoke in the semi-state rounds at Valley Junction. Mary Edith won second.

The winners of the second places spoke in the sub-county at Grimes. Irene Fisher won first place in dramatic. Irene went on to the county contest and won first place there also.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

The High School Executive Council presented the play,
"Girl Shy," Monday, November 18, 1935.

This is the first time an all high school play has
been presented.

The cast was as follows:

Oke Stimson	Donald Otto
Tom Arsdale	Carlton Freeman
Mr. Arsdale	Bill Wallner
Barbara Sanford	Mary Edith Thomas
Peaches Carter	Luella Erickson
Alfred Tennyson Murgatoyd	Jean Post
Sylvia Webster	Elaine Bilz
Dean Marlow	Leonard Willcox
Caroline	Irene Fisher
Chuck Mayo	Clifford Conner
Birdie LaVerne	Margaret Zarley
Asma	Lucille Freeman

JUNIOR PLAY

The Junior Class of 1936 presented the play, "Here
Comes Charlie," Wednesday and Thursday, April 1, 2, 1936.

The cast was as follows:

Nora Malone	Lillian Johnson
Officer Tim McGrill	Durwood Swanson
Mrs. Fanny Farnham	Irene Fisher
Larry Elliott	Mike Vignovich
Ted Hartley	Don Hawkins
Vivian Smythe-Kersey	Wilma Kinsey
Uncle Aleck Twiggs	Orvis Cruikshank
Charlie Hopps	Margaret Zarley
Mrs. Caroline Smythe-Kersey	Joanne Schleibs
Mortimer Smythe-Kersey	Jack Rust

OPERETTA

The High School Operetta was presented in the high school auditorium, May 1, 1936.

The cast was as follows:

Geraldine Bank	Mary Edith Thomas
John Drayton	Bob Keyte
Uncle Pete (an old time westerner)	Jean Post
Alan O'Day	Kenneth Keyte
Mimi (a flapper)	Angelyna Rastovac
Dora	Mary Louise Keister
Cornelius Bean (from Boston)	Jack Rust
Amos Bank (an easterner)	Bill Wallner
Lettuce Bank (his wife)	Margaret Zarley
Sandy Bank (their daughter)	Luella Erickson
Hunter (a detective)	Bill Murray
First man	Bill Ives
Second man	Mike Vignovich
First girl	Glenna Ashby

The chorus consisted of the girls and boys glee clubs. Those in the chorus that sang in the operetta were: Frances Kurtzweil, Della Argenta, Arlene Otto, Lucille Freeman, Geraldine Watters, Dorothy Seibert, Beulah Baker, Jerry Hauser, Mike Vignovich, Carroll Surber, Dick Dewey, Earl Sayers, and Bill Ives.

The dancers were Mary Vignovich, Corrinne Standers, Darlene Smith, and Marjorie Boyle.

The orchestra played for the operetta. Those playing in the orchestra were: Maureen Kuefner, (violin); Mary Hockett, (violin); Lowell Steen, (trumpet); Dwight Stall, (trumpet); Doris Seibert, (trumpet); Jessie May Taylor, (clarinet); Wayne Stall, (clarinet); Wendell Jeffrey, (clarinet); Alice Byers, (piano); Dail Rife, (drums); and Marjorie Steen, (trombone).

Mr. Barphart directed the operetta and Miss Pierce assisted.

RHYTHM BAND



Back row: Cecil Conner, Ralph Bassett, Nick Vignovich,
 John Betz, Floyd Woods, Bobby Denman, Joseph Dwight.
 Third row: Ruth Greif, Elva Cole, Orval Kinsey, James
 Hall, Donald Zarley, Charles Harding, Francel Guim.
 Second row: Betty Harding, Beverly Ann van Benthuyssen,
 Wayne Kuefner, Clotel Guim, Barbara Horner, Barbara
 Jean Kuefner.
 Front row: Roy Peterson, Mary Jane Rastovac, Patsy Cyres,
 Joan Watters, David Argenta, Mary Ann Fletcher, Helen
 Orlich--Director.

For two consecutive years the Johnston Rhythm Band have been presented with a silver cup at the Polk County Music Contest. They entertained at Iowa State Teachers Convention, Eighth Grade Graduation at Drake University, and State Federation of Music Clubs.

JUNIOR HIGH CHORUS



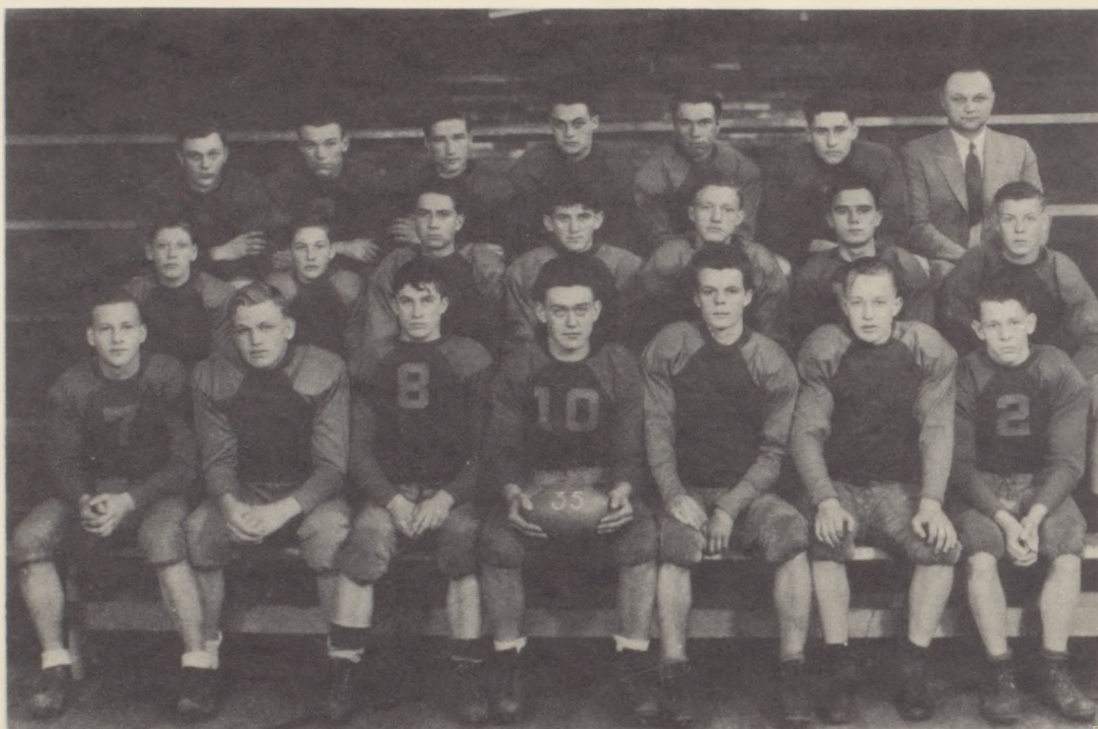
Back row: Fred Horner, Steve Orlich, Jackie Tarlton,
Jeanette Close, Virginia Such, Louise Jobusch, Donald
Denman, Loretta Covey, Ruth Hunt.
Second row: Marjorie Boyle, James Fletcher, Ted Miller,
Louis Jobusch, Leo Zibert, Junior Thomas, Rhonda Burns,
Donald Michael.
Front row: Miss Pierce, Wendell Jeffrey, Corrinne Standers,
Mary Vignovich, Rilma Leeper, Mary Hootman, Jean Swanson,
Elaine Heaney, Rilla Belle Zarley.
Absent: Darlene Smith.

Other grade music groups formed were Primary and Intermediate choruses, each composed of 35 members. A harmonica band of 40 members also made several appearances during the year.



"ATHLETICS"

FOOTBALL



First row: Ralph Fraizer, Bill Graham, Don Hawkins, Roland Graham, Virgil Bice, Bob Keyte, Coach Scholz.
 Second row: Jerrold Hauser, Earl Sayers, Bill Harvey, Mike Orlich, Bob Evans, Carlon Freeman, Dick Page.
 Third row: Bill Wallner, Leonard Willcox, Bill Murray, Clifford Conner, Jack Rust, Bob Read, Harold Coyle.

LINEUP

Left End Coyle, Page	Right End Wallner
Left Tackle. . Read, Freeman	Quarterback Hawkins
Left Guard . . . Rust, Evans	Right Half. B. Graham
Left Center. Conner	Left Half Keyte
Right Guard. Murray	Full Back R. Graham
Right Tackle .Wilcox, Harvey	Res. Backs. . Fraizer, Bice
Reserves. . . Hauser, Orlich, Dewey	

FOOTBALL

Coach--Carl Scholz

Assistant Coach--Gene Hoover

We believe that this is Johnston's most successful year, as far as football is concerned. That we had an excellent team, can be seen of the eight games that were won while only one was lost.

The seasons scores were:

Johnston	14	Woodward	0
Johnston	13	Minburn	0
Johnston	14	Granger Assumption	6
Johnston	18	Dallas	6
Johnston	46	Grimes	0
Johnston	14	Mitchellville	0
Johnston	14	Bondurant	13
Johnston	73	Dallas Center	0
Johnston	6	Ankeny	25
Total	<u>212</u>	Opponents	<u>50</u>

The offense was excellent, backed by superb ball carrying, strong blocking and a good passing attack. The 212 points earned in 9 games are proof of this.

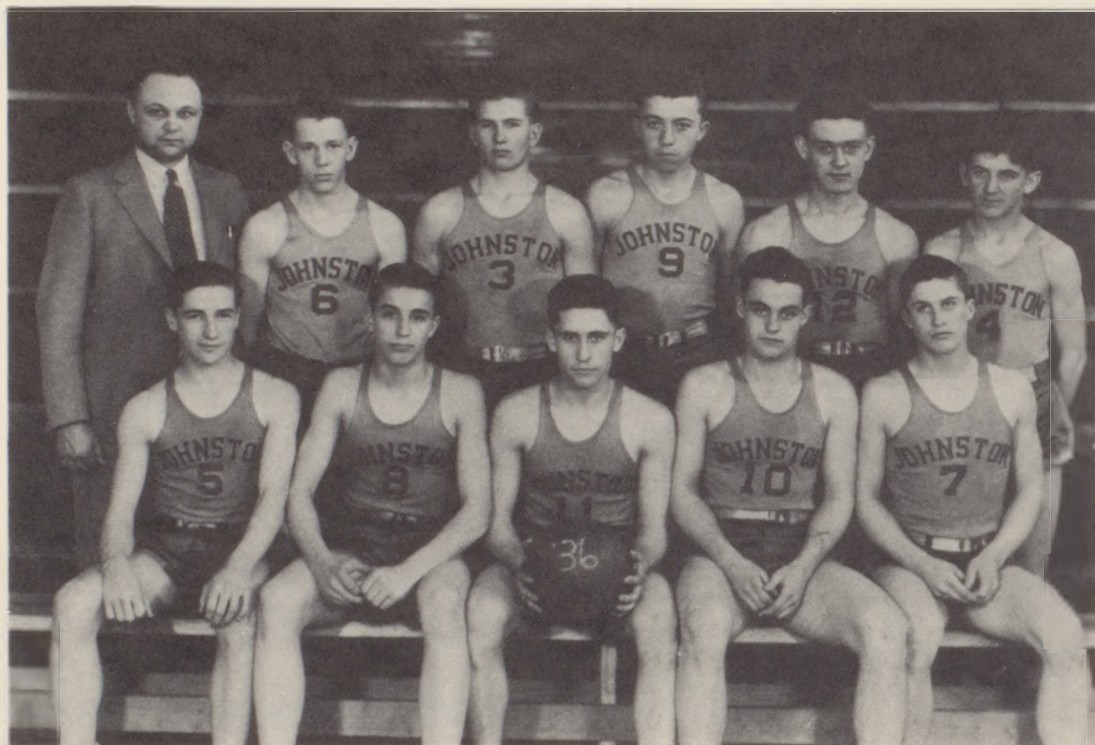
The defense, although slightly weaker than the offense, showed up well.

The team will lose six seniors this year, namely: Bob Keyte, Bill Graham, Ralph Fraizer, Bill Wallner, Bill Harvey, and Harold Coyle, all letter-men.

One of the seniors, Bob Keyte, received Honorable Mention on the All-State Team.

At the end of the season, the Johnston Boosters gave a banquet in honor of the team. Letters were not awarded, however. Bill Graham was elected captain of the team.

BASKETBALL



Back row: Mr. Scholz, Harold Coyle, Bill Ives, Mike Vignovich, Clifford Conner, Mike Orlich.
 Front row: Donald Hawkins, Bob Keyte, Rolland Graham, Billy Murray.

LINEUP

Forwards	Hawkins, Otto
Centers	Keyte, Vignovich
Guards	Murray, Graham, Conner, Ives
Reserves	Hauser, Orlich, Coyle, Zarley, Dewey

BOYS BASKETBALL

Johnston had a unique boys' team this year in that they showed consistent improvement from beginning to end. After dropping five games early in the season, the boys came back to win over two superior teams: Mitchellville, and Minburn, both sectional winners, besides collecting 6 other victories. Unfortunately the return games with Elkhart and Van Meter could not be played because of bad weather.

The most decisive victory came in the Dallas Center game where Johnston scored almost 50 points, and held the opposing team to only a few.

In the county tournament, Johnston drew Valley Junction for the first round. A thrilling first half found the score tied, but in the second half, Valley's many reserves gave them the game.

In the Sectional tournament, Johnston was defeated by Lincoln High of Des Moines. The team played without their center, Keyte, who was ill. The team, not used to being broken, was nervous.

Keyte, Ives and Coyle are the only members of the team who are graduating, therefore the 36-37 season should show results.

The schedule and scores follow:

Johnston	14	Woodward	37
Johnston	14	Van Meter	45
Johnston	14	Ankeny	26
Johnston	18	Mitchellville	23
Johnston	26	Woodward	33
Johnston	21	Minburn	19
Johnston	36	Waukee	24
Johnston	14	Granger	17
Johnston	23	Valley Junction	35
Johnston	21	Elkhart	26
Johnston	39	Polk City	21
Johnston	22	Ankeny	29
Johnston	17	Granger	23
Johnston	43	Polk City	21
Johnston	35	Mitchellville	29
Johnston	33	Waukee	31
Johnston	48	Dallas Center	11

TRACK TEAM



(Left to right) Grant Voorhees, Bob Keyte, Clifford Conner, Bill Ives, Harold Coyle, Virgil Bice.

TRACK

Track is a relatively new sport at Johnston. It started in the spring of 1935 with 15 members, 9 of whom stayed in training.

The first meet in which the team entered was at Stuart. Only a part of the team participated and no one placed.

The second meet was at Minburn. Among teams competing were: Valley Junction, Earlham, Minburn, Perry, Bayard, Adel, Wauke, Washington Twp., Lehigh, Linden and Johnston. Events in which Johnston placed were:

The Javelin Throw-----Keyte and Schleihs
Medley Relay----Ferrell, Voorhees, Coyle, and Ives
880 Yd. Relay-----Bice, Such, Voorhees, Coyle
880 Yd. Run-----Ives

Only four of the team went to the Drake Relays: Voorhees, Coyle, Bice and Ferrell. They ran in the mile relay.

The District meet was held at Valley Junction in May. Johnston placed in the Medley Relay: Coyle, Schleihs, Voorhees, and Ives. Such ran the special half mile and Keyte and Schleihs threw the javelin. Schleihs also broad-jumped. Conner threw the discus. The schools in the meet were: North, East, Roosevelt, Lincoln, Ames, Earlham, and Guthrie Center.

All in all it was a successful season for the first year though the boys only participated in four meets, one the Drake Relays, and one the District Meet.

Five of the boys are back and with the experience they had last year, should bring home a few trophies.

Following are the nine boys who made up the team and the main events in which they participated:

Edwin Ferrell--440
Raymond Schleihs--Javelin, Broad-jump, 440
Tom Such--440
Bob Keyte--Javelin, Shot--440
Grant Voorhees--440, 220
Harold Coyle--440
Bill Ives--880
Clifford Conner--Discus
Virgil Bice--100, 220

GIRLS' BASKETBALL--1936



Back row: Eva Louise Kurtzweil, Wilma Kinsey, Miss van Benthuyssen, Margaret Kinsey, Gail Hoffman.
Second row: Mildred Orlich, Joanne Schleih, Viola Rastovac, Irene Fisher, Virginia Horner.
Front row: Angelyna Rastovac, Ruth Horner, Mary Edith Thomas.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Coach--Miss Clover van Benthuyssen Captain--Margaret Kinsey

The girls basketball team had a very good season considering the age and inexperience of the girls. With only one senior in the lineup, the girls won a nice percentage of their games.

The schedule and scores are as follows:

Johnston	24	Woodward	33
Johnston	46	Mitchellville	12
Johnston	40	Van Meter	24
Johnston	33	Ankeny	7
Johnston	24	Woodward	34
Johnston	34	Perry	15
Johnston	44	Waukee	23
Johnston	16	Valley Junction	20
Johnston	9	C.C.C.C.	41
Johnston	43	Elkhart	21
Johnston	14	A.I.B. Typists	34
Johnston	20	Ankeny	28
Johnston	27	Ia. Independents	30
Johnston	11	C.C.C.C.	40
Johnston	45	Mitchellville	14
Johnston	29	Dallas Center	19

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

Johnston	21	Alleman	9
Johnston	19	Perry	12
Johnston	20	Washington Twp.	21
Johnston	17	Ankeny	16

COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Johnston	35	Valley Junction	23
Johnston	33	Mitchellville	19
Johnston	10	Runnells	23
Johnston	19	Ankeny	14

While the girls did not have as successful a season as either of the two preceding, they showed great promise. When the reader remembers that of the 12 girls, 11 will be back next year, that 5 will be seniors, 4 juniors, and 2 sophomores, he will see that Johnston has the possibilities of a fine team for 1936 and 1937.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL--1935



Back row: Joanne Schleibs, Emily Newlin, Margaret Kinsey, Winifred Brackett, Helen Stice.

Front row: Mary Hawkins, Irene Fisher, Eva Rastovac, Miss van Benthuyzen, Angelyna Rastovac, Luellen Erickson, Wilma Kinsey.

The team of 1935 had a very successful season. They were sectional and district winners and were beaten out by Hillsboro in the state tourney.

Mary Hawkins, representative of Johnston, was Basketball queen, elected by the spectators at the State Tournament.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL--1934



Luellen Erickson, Eva Rastovac, Lavonne Carlson, Mary Hawkins, Evelyn Temple, Mary Lath-
rum, Helen Stice, Katherine Sides, Geneva Horner, Winifred Brackett, Margaret Kinsey,
Margaret Schlenker, Miss van Benthuyzen.

The Girls' Basketball Team in 1934 were sectional and district winners. They
were Consolation winners in the State tournaments and also brought home the Sports-
manship trophy. Geneva Horner was named an All-State guard and Margaret Schlenker
was all-State Forward.

Geneva Horner was All-State Basketball Queen.

PEP SQUAD



Mary Edith Thomas, Kenneth Keyte, Glenna Ashby.



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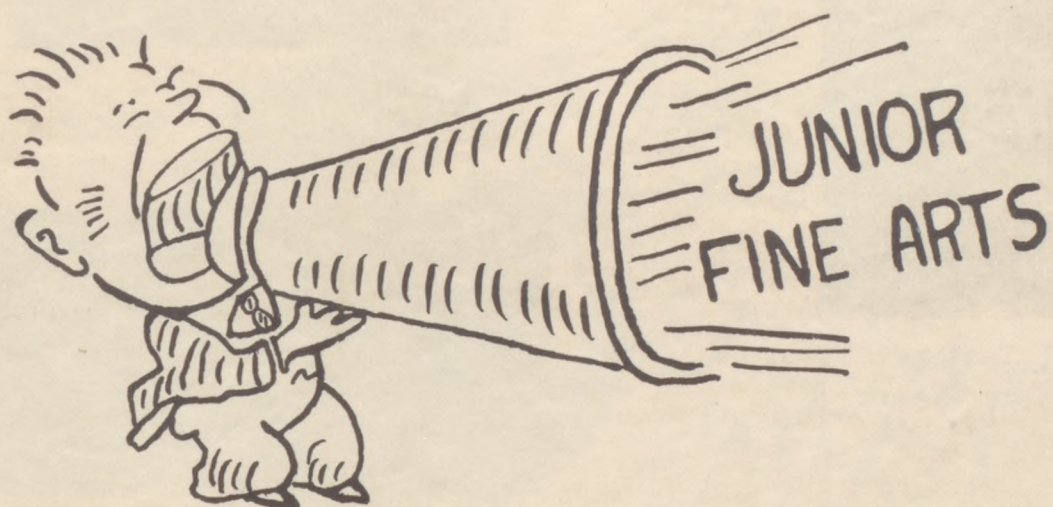


Back row: Mrs. Chas. Fisher, Welfare Chm; Mrs. W. C. Surber, Literature Chm; Mrs. Wilfon, Membership Chm.; Mrs. B. G. Keyte, Publicity Chm; Mrs. E. F. Murray, Social Chm.

Front row: Mrs. B. B. Dewey, Finance Chm; Mrs. Houston Robinette, Secretary; Mrs. F. J. Schleih, President; Mrs. Frank Kurtzweil, Treasurer; Mrs. Carl Scholz, second Vice-President.

Absent: Mrs. Carl Stall, first Vice-President, Mrs. Leslie Miller, Parliamentarian.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Johnston School, organized almost as long as the school itself, at present has over one hundred members. It is proud of meeting the requirements of the National board to reach the rank "Standard." In addition to the regular meetings, a study group meets once each month for special work in child training. Each committee is active in various activities, not least of which is the Annual Round-Up of prospective pupils.





Betty Coyle



Junior High Trio
Mary Darlene Corrine



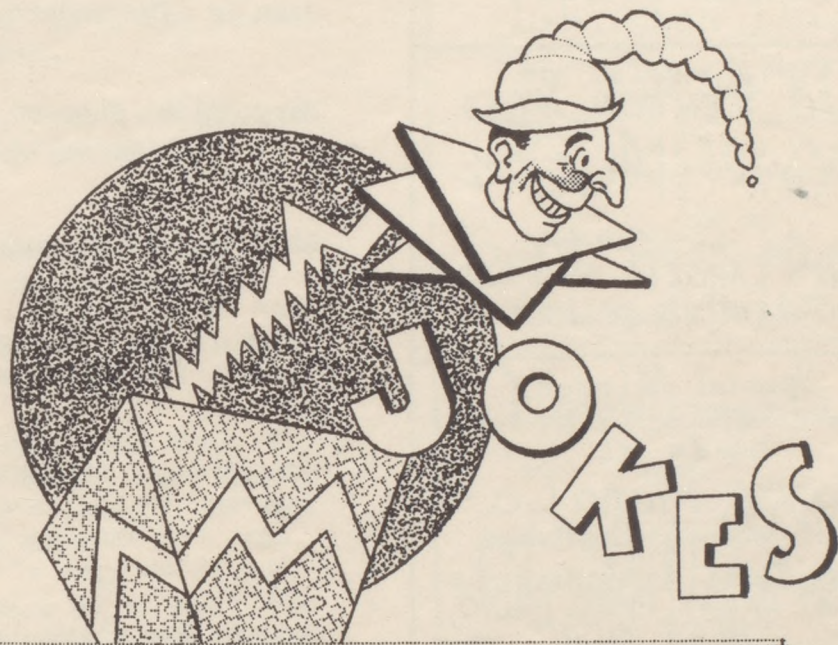
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that scene in which two
blondes dance and crack
jokes?

Burlesque Producer: Yes. What
do you want to take out?

Censors: We want to take the
two blondes out.

Mr. Hoover: If the President,
Vice-President, and all the
members of the Cabinet died,
who would officiate?

Jean P: The undertaker.

Mary Edith: Raymond joined the
Foreign Legion to forget a-
bout me.

Bill M: Did he succeed?

Mary Edith: Hardly, all of the
men in his company were
there for the same reason.

Miss Bronn: Shakespeare has
given us the seven ages of
man, but what would you say
the seven ages of women are?

Bill H: Her right age and six
guesses.

Grant V: You know I have the
fastest car going.

M. Z: Yes, and the slowest
coming back.

M. K: If you were my husband,
I'd give you poison.

Bill G: If you were my wife,
I'd take it.

Eli O: What do you think of a fellow who'd kiss a girl against her will?

Ralph F: He's either pretty mean, or else he's pretty good.

Dick D: There is a lot of electricity in my hair.

Ken. K: Sure, it's connected to a dry cell.

Mrs. Scott: I take great pleasure in giving you an 81 in Math.

Don H: Aw, make it a hundred and enjoy yourself.

Mrs. Scholz: Sheep are certainly stupid animals.

Mr. Scholz: Yes, my lamb.

Miss Polish: And when the theater caught fire didn't you go straight to the nearest exit?

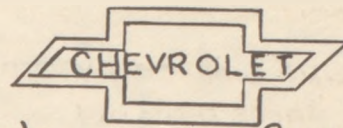
Bob S: Heck no, I ran for the one the chorus girls were going out of.

Elaine B: You drive me out of my mind.

Bob R: That's not a drive-- that's a putt.

Jake H: Jackson is a man you don't meet every day.

Cliff. C: I don't meet him at all. He owes me five dollars.



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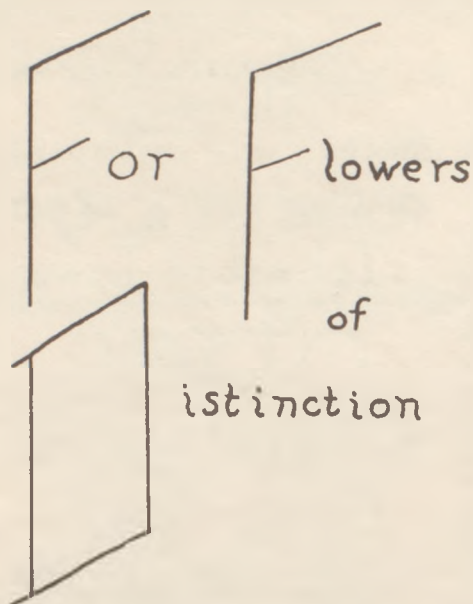
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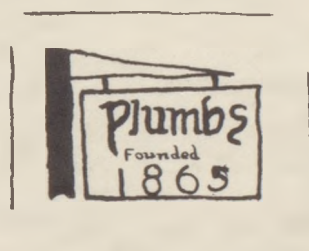
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Vernon A. (after being turned down): I'm not worrying,
there's a lot more fish in the sea.

Edith E: Yes, and if nobody's got a better line than you
have, they'll all stay there.

One way to make a wife swallow her pride is insisting
that she eat her own biscuits.

Miss Pierce (reading): Then came the great dragon beloh-
ing forth.

Fred H: Didn't he excuse himself?

An optimist is one who falls from the top floor of a
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so far.

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